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METHOD OF FORMING A BALL  
BOND USING A BONDING CAPILLARY : **Mail Stop: Amendment**

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 22, 2004, the period for response to which having been extended by three months to October 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent application as follows: